

STORAGE MANAGEMENT BASED ON WORKLIST

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 Systems and methods of storage management which are based on a
worklist are described. The storage typically although not necessarily includes
a faster access part and a slower access part. One of the described methods
includes: examining a worklist which schedules at least one modality to
perform at least one task; and ensuring that in the faster access part there is
10 available at least some data which based on at least one predetermined rule is
deemed likely to be accessed in connection to the at least one task to be
performed by the at least one modality scheduled by the worklist. In one
application the worklist conforms to a Digital Image Communications in
Medicine (DICOM) modality worklist.